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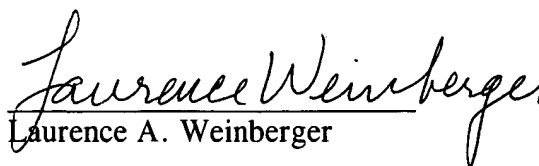
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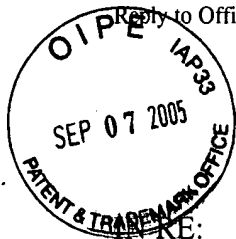
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Dear Sir:

RESPONSE TO OFFICE ACTION DATED MARCH 7, 2005

Applicants hereby respond to the office action dated March 7, 2005. This Response is being
timely filed along with a petition for extension of time and the required fee.

AMENDMENT

Please amend the above-identified application as follows:

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Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

Remarks/Arguments begin on page 13 of this paper.